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Mr. Craig Kindlin, Natural Resources Manager
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Facilities Engineering Division
Letterkenny Army Depot
Chambersburg, PA 17201-4150

Dear Craig:

On June 16, 2008, I conducted an aerial detection survey for gypsy moth-caused tree defoliation at Letterkenny Army Depot. Approximately 5 acres of light defoliation (30-50%) were detected on your site while an additional 60.7 acres of light defoliation were detected in the immediate vicinity of your site (Figure 1).

If you anticipate requesting either financial or technical assistance for gypsy moth control in 2009, please contact Brad Onken (304) 285-1546 or me (304) 285-1555 before August 22, 2008.

Please contact me at the above number if you have any questions regarding this aerial survey letter.

Sincerely,

Rodney L. Whiteman

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Forester
Forest Health Protection

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Figure 1. Results of the aerial dectection survey conducted at Letterkenny Army Depot on June 16, 2008.